



FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION

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Honorable Sandre Swanson
Member, California State Assembly

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Re: FPPC File No. 090900; Sandre Swanson

Dear Assembly Member Swanson:

On December 16, 2009, the Enforcement Division of the Fair Political Practices Commission sent a letter to you alleging that you failed to disclose a certain gift on your 2008 Annual Statement of Economic Interests (SEI). We have subsequently received a response from your office's Communications Director Ms. Amy Alley regarding our letter.

According to Ms. Alley, you did not disclose the alleged gift of attending a dinner at Spataro reported by the Pechanga Band of Luiseño Mission Indians as being a gift to you because you did not attend the dinner. Additionally, the gift apparently missing from your 2008 SEI from Farmer's Group, Inc., was actually reported as coming from Nielsen, Merksamer, Parrinello, LLP. Ms. Alley has stated that an amended Schedule D disclosing the true donor of the gift will be forthcoming from your office.

Based on these explanations, we are closing this case with no further action. If you have any questions, you may contact me at (916) 322-8241.

Very truly yours,

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